FCC REPORT- JANUARY 2007

January 8, 2007

Early Lunches- Most of the area school districts are so overcrowded that lunch periods have to be scattered, leaving the youngest children eating lunch shortly after breakfast. They in turn become hungry later in the day, and nutritionists fear that the children's schedule will be detrimental to their learning. - 6:00 p.m. Broadcast

Overcrowding in Schools-Schools on the Westside are extremely overcrowded to where there are not enough classrooms in the school buildings and most of the classes are set in portable units. Now the schools are coming up with ways to ease the overcrowding by providing less of a burden on the area high schools. -6:00 p.m. Broadcast

Education Matters- Student Dance Program- A program in the Las Cruces School District whereby the students are getting more discipline by enrolling in after school dance programs. 5:00 p.m. Broadcast

January 11, 2007

Juilliard String Quartet- The infamous World renowned Quartet visits El Paso to provide education and outreach to schools about music and their upcoming performance in El Paso. 5:00 p.m. Broadcast

January 18, 2007

Weather Closures- Comprehensive reports of impending snow and freezing conditions resulting in the closures of much of the city including Schools. – 5:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. Broadcasts

January 19, 2007

Weather Closures- Comprehensive reports of closures of roads and schools in the area. Complete coverage on all shows, with emphasis on fact that only rain falls on the area. Today, Midday, 5;00 P.M. 6:00 P.M 10:00 P.M. Broadcasts

January 19, 2007

Project Linus- Project in the borderland to help provide blankets for people in the area in financial need. The weather is especially cold and the blankets are running low, so the local affiliate hopes to get additional donations. The story also appears nationwide on NBC Nightly News with Brian Williams

January 22, 2007

Education Matters- Media Magnet School- A new Magnet school will provide Journalism students with the tools they need to succeed in the Las Cruces Area. 5:00 p.m. Broadcast

January 23, 2007

Passport Information- Story detailing the importance of knowing the new rules in having passports that are current when crossing the International Borders. The office of Homeland Security says the first days of the implementation are a success and a 95 percent success rate. 5:00 p.m and 6:00 p.m. Broadcasts.

FCC REPORT- FEBRUARY 2007

• FEBRUARY 5- Education Matters Report- Area school St. Marks collecting more than 100 pairs of shoes for area underprivileged children- Airs 5:00 p.m. Broadcast

FEBRUARY 14- Frontera Women's Foundation- A new non-profit agency designed to help women with job placement and their education through grants. Newschannel Nine Midday

FEBRUARY 15- Senior Living Report- New special classes available at the El Paso Community College designed to provide the areas Senior Citizens with vocations and involvement in the community. Medical Studies show that Senior Citizens who are more involved are less likely to develop dementia in their later years. Newschannel Nine Midday

FEBRUARY 16- Breast Cancer Memorial- Area Cancer agencies and Cordova Middle School honors a fallen teacher who lost her battle against Breast Cancer. A Tree is planted in her honor and she is remembered by staff, students and members of her family. A precursor to the Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure. Airs on Newschannel Nine at 6:00 p.m.

FEBRUARY 18- Race for the Cure- More than 12,000 El Pasoans make their way to Fort Bliss to Race and raise money and awareness in the fight against Breast Cancer. Airs Newschannel Nine at 5:30 p.m. and 10:00 p.m.

FEBRUARY 18- SPECIAL REPORT- Breast Cancer Cases in Younger Women. Profile of a 34 year old woman whose cancer was detected while she was breast feeding. The young Mother of a 1 year old and her husband speak of their shock and persistence in the fight of her life. Airs Newschannel Nine at 10:00 p.m.

FEBRUARY 21- Protest of Iraq Soldier Memorial- A group from an out of town Baptist Ministry come to El Paso to protest the way the war is handled during the Memorial of Fallen Soldiers from Fort Bliss. They are met with counter protestors who say they are preserving the dignity of the lost soldiers. Airs Newschannel Nine at 5:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m.

FEBRUARY 24- Muscular Dystrophy Association- Fill the Boot Program. Area Firefighters take to intersections around town for the weekend to raise money and awareness in the fight against Muscular Dystrophy. The firefighters pound the pavement and raise \$12,000. Airs Newschannel Nine at 5:00 p.m.

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- 3/12- EDUCATION MATTERS- Science scholarships amounting to hundreds of thousands of dollars are available through the Intel corporation for Science Students. Focus on Students in the El Paso area who have been awarded the academic prizes. 5:00 p.m. Broadcast.
- 3/13-HPV VACCINE- The State of New Mexico Legislators introduce mandatory vaccines for Pre- Teen Girls against the Human Papilloma Virus. Legislators to decide. Story features reaction from Doctors and Parents. 5:00 p.m and 6:00 p.m. Broadcast.
- 3/19- ALZHEIMERS ASSOCIATION- Announcement of major fundraiser and programs designed to protect families in need of assistance with relatives with Alzheimers Disease. Also focus on Medicaid assistance. Newschannel Nine Midday
- 3/22- WOMEN'S BUSINESS FORUM- Forum featuring 400 area women designed to empower and help with job placement. Also designed to provide women with a guide to help start their own businesses and be successful at the same time. The featured speaker was Naomi Judd. 5:00 p.m. Broadcast.
- 3/27- SAFETY PETITION FOR KERN PLACE- Story to outline one young woman's plan to present petition signatures to City Council to insure safety of the patrons on Cincinnati Street. The young woman is then killed in a one car crash. Today Show, Midday, 5:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. broadcasts.
- 3/28- PRICE'S GIVE 'EM FIVE PROGRAM- Price's working in conjunction with Newschannel Nine to reward schools with grants to help them thrive in their educational projects. Anthony Elementary and Putnam Elementary both join the Weather Bug School Family. Newschannel Nine Midday, 5:00 p.m., 6:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. broadcasts.
- 3/31- PETITION PROJECT CONTINUES- Mothers of Teenage children in Kern Place work to revive the petition drive to insure the safety of patrons on Cincinnati Street. 5:00 p.m., 6:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. broadcasts.